

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant: Kaori KOJIMA and Hitoshi HAGIMORI  
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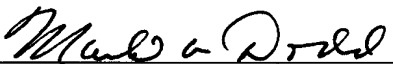
**PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants hereby petition that the period for response to the Office Action, mailed March 11, 2004, be extended for two months up to and including August 11, 2004.

A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 is submitted concurrently herewith.

A Response Transmittal and Fee Authorization form authorizing the amount of \$1,080.00 (\$770.00 for the filing fee for a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), and \$310.00 (the difference between the one month extension fee previously filed on July 12, 2004, and the two month extension fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(2)), to be charged to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260 is enclosed herewith in duplicate. However, if the Response Transmittal and Fee Authorization form is missing, insufficient, or otherwise inadequate, or if a fee, other than the issue fee, is required during the pendency of this application, please charge such fee to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260. Please credit any overpayment to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260.

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